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ABSTRACT

A plasma display device provided with a green color phosphor which is charged entirely with a positive potential, adsorbs only limited amounts of water, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and hydrocarbon, and not liable to

5 cause chemical reaction thereto. The green color phosphor used is any one or a combination two or more kinds of phosphors selected from among compounds defined by the general formulae of $M_{1-x} Al_{12} O_{19} : Mn_x$ (where "M" denotes one of Ca, Sr, Eu and Zn) having a magnetoplumbite crystal structure, $(Y_{1-a-y} Gd_a) (Ga_{1-x} Al_x)_3 (BO_3)_4 : Tb_y$, $(Y_{1-a-y} Gd_a) (Ga_{1-x} Al_x)_3 (BO_3)_4 : Ce_y$, Tb_y , $(Y_{1-a-y} Gd_a)$

10 $BO_3 : Tb_y$ and $(Y_{1-a-y} Gd_a)_3 (Ga_{1-x} Al_x)_5 O_{12} : Tb_y$ having any of an yttrium borate crystal structure and yttrium aluminate crystal structure.